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SEA ENGAGEMENTS

The Shore Batteries at Port Arthur Opened Fire on Japanese Torpedo Boats.

JAPS RETIRED TOWARD SHANDRIN

Later the Japanese Began Firing Upon the Russian Cruisers and the Fortress at Long Range.

They Had 14 Ships and Fired the Entire Time From Behind Liao Tishin—No Damage Is Reported to Russians.

St. Petersburg, March 11.—The czar has received the following message from Viceroy Alexieff, dated Mukden, March 10:

"The commandant of the fortress at Port Arthur reports that about 1 o'clock this morning the outlines of vessels, apparently torpedo boats, were seen at sea, within the area swept by our searchlights. Our batteries opened fire upon these vessels. Our torpedo boats put out to sea at 2:40 a. m. and at about 4 o'clock met the enemy west of the Liao Tishin lighthouse. After firing several shots the enemy retired to the south in the direction of Shan Dun. Our torpedo boats returned to the harbor at 6 o'clock.

"Later torpedo boats were again sent to reconnoiter. They returned in half an hour, having learned that the enemy's squadron was approaching.

"At 8 o'clock the Japanese opened fire upon our cruisers and the fortress. The enemy had 14 ships and fired the entire time from behind Liao Tishin at long range.

"I have the honor to report the foregoing to your majesty. Alexieff."

Tokio, March 11.—Russian and Japanese mounted scouts met north of Ping Yang Wednesday. After a brief engagement the Russians retreated. No casualties are reported on either side.

Tokio, March 11.—The report of Vice Adm. Kamimura, in command of the Vladivostok naval expedition, reached the navy department here early Thursday morning. It evidently came by way of Gensan, where the squadron was expected to call upon its return. The report throws little additional light upon the movement, except it seems to show that the Russian squadron remained safely within Vladivostok harbor under the protection of the shore batteries. Adm. Kamimura says that he bombarded the harbor for 45 minutes and believes the fire was very effective. At 5 o'clock on Sunday last the Japanese discerned heavy volumes of smoke ascending over the eastern mouth of the harbor and it was thought for a time that the Russians were getting steam up to come out and give battle, which was eagerly awaited, but the smoke gradually died away with no appearance of any of the Russian ships. The Japanese ships searched the surrounding bays until noon on Monday, when they again steamed back to the eastern entrance of Vladivostok harbor. The forts there did not fire at the approaching ships and no trace was found of the Russian squadron. Adm. Kamimura then steamed south, reconnoitering Possiet bay and other inlets at that vicinity, but found no trace of the Russians. Adm. Kamimura does not mention in his report anything concerning Russian operations in the vicinity of Possiet bay or the Tumen river.

THE ATLANTIC FLEETS.

Thirteen American Vessels Are Now at Pensacola, Fla.

Pensacola, Fla., March 11.—The combined fleet was augmented by the arrival here Thursday of the cruisers Atlanta and Nashville and the gunboat Bancroft, which came from Guantanamo, joining the vessels of the coast, South Atlantic and North Atlantic fleets, making a total of 13 war vessels of various types now in port and at target practice off Santa Rosa island. The Newark, Detroit and Montgomery were engaged during Thursday in practice with their large caliber guns, several hundred shots being fired.

To Arrange For National Convention.
St. Louis, March 11.—A meeting of sub-committee, national democratic committee, in charge of arrangements for the national convention at the Coliseum in July, and the local committee on arrangements will be held March 21.

Two Men Frozen to Death.

Pryor Creek, I. T., March 11.—The bodies of Ernest Bratcher and William Adkins, farmers, were found at the foot of Osage mountain near their homes. It is supposed that during a blizzard they were frozen to death.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

A Bill Passed That Will Cost the State \$30,000.

Frankfort, March 11.—Senate—The house bill providing that missing copies of Kentucky reports in the circuit, county and federal clerks' offices be furnished and paid for by the state received 18 votes to 16 against it, and was declared passed. It was asserted that this bill will cost the state \$30,000 if not vetoed by the governor. The house bill appropriating \$22,000 for improvements at the deaf and dumb institute at Danville passed. House bill No. 246, to prohibit the killing of rabbits and squirrels with the gun from September 15 to November 15 each year, intended to protect quail from hunters who go out to kill rabbits and instead kill birds before the open season begins, passed, 18 to 13. Rabbits and squirrels may be snared or caught with dogs during that period, however. The bill to fix a special penalty for selling or buying registration certificates was postponed till Monday, which kills it.

House—Bills passed: Taking the control of the printing for the appellate court reports from the state printing board and placing it in the hands of the judges of the court of appeals, with power to make contracts and revoke any contracts where its provisions have been violated; making adultery the only ground for divorce; that the state shall replace copies of the Kentucky Reports and certain other books belonging to any county, when said books are destroyed by fire; removing the license tax from mineral water. Bill No. 193, which proposed to raise the salaries of the state prison guards from \$65 to \$75 a month, was called up. Mr. Oliver offered an amendment, raising the salary of the deputy wardens from \$1,200 to \$1,500 a year. This was defeated.

THE BOATNER TRIAL.

Defendant Is Charged with Complicity in Embezzling \$28,000.

Hartford, Ky., March 11.—The spring term of the Ohio circuit is now in session here, with Judge T. H. Birkhead on the bench. The first case on trial is that of J. W. Boatner, charged with receiving embezzled money.

The case grew out of the sensational express episode in Fordsville, this county, two years ago. Boatner claimed to have sent \$28,000 from Owensboro to Fordsville by express. A. B. Schlitzbaum, the railroad agent at Fordsville, claimed that he was held up and robbed of Boatner's package and funds of the Illinois Central Railroad Co. He was given one year in the penitentiary.

It is charged in the indictment that he gave the money to Boatner. There are about 40 witnesses to be examined. The case is an important one, as it will set a precedent as to the safety of sending money by express.

Man Shot By a Woman.

Owingsville, Ky., March 11.—On Indian creek, Menifee county, James Patrick, it is alleged, was perhaps fatally shot by Mrs. Taylor Ingram. Patrick entered her home and, it is claimed, made improper proposals. He left, but later returned and attempted to enter the house, when, it is claimed, Mrs. Ingram fired on him with a shotgun, the charge taking effect in his side and thigh. Mrs. Ingram was not arrested.

How to Identify Him.

Owensboro, Ky., March 11.—"To identify me, telegraph No. 53,734, Boston, Mass. They will care for me." This is the remarkable entry found in the notebook of a man who had lived under the name of George L. Gray, and who died in the city hospital Thursday morning.

Sale of Light Harness Horses.

Lexington, Ky., March 11.—The first good sale of light harness horses was consummated by the purchase of five head of youngsters, the get of Jay McGregor, by Connelly & McLain, of Kingman county, Kan., from W. L. Spears, of this city. Price private.

Lumbermen Are Jubilant.

Barbourville, Ky., March 11.—Lumber men in the mountains are jubilant over the prospects of getting out so many logs. The recent rains have caused a good tide in all the mountain streams, and all the logs along the water courses will be set adrift.

Farmer Died From His Injuries.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 11.—Dink Stephens, a Trigg county farmer, died at his home near Caledonia. While driving into his stable on a load of baled hay he was caught between the top of the door and his wagon and his chest was crushed.

Fatal Saloon Row.

Williamstown, Ky., March 11.—Ed Garrett, a mulatto, was killed in a row here and George Woodhead is held in jail for the crime. The owner of the saloon, Jack Reddy, was shot by Garrett. Reddy's injuries are not fatal.

THE PHILIPPINES.

Secretary of War Taft is Making an Effort to Develop the Islands.

CONSULTS WITH CAPITALISTS.

After Information For Use in Framing Laws Regarding Franchises, Giving Commission Further Powers.

The Secretary Will Make a Report of the Result of the Conference to the Congressional Committee on Saturday Next.

New York, March 11.—William H. Taft, secretary of war, came here Thursday and had a prolonged conference with several men prominent in railroad and financial matters, including Sir William C. Van Horne, chairman of the board of the Canadian Pacific railroad; Vice President Turnbull, of the Guarantee Trust Co.; E. H. Harrison, president of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads; George Peabody, Lindon W. Bates, Milner Green, a railroad builder; J. Gilbert Smith, who is now building electric railroads in Manila; Col. Edwards, chief of the bureau of insular affairs; James Speyer and Charles H. Tweed, of Speyer & Co.

After the conference Secretary Taft said that it had been called to consider the possibilities of steam and electric railroad development in the Philippines, that no other enterprises were discussed and that no conclusion had been reached.

"These gentlemen," said the secretary, "have been here at my invitation to talk over the conditions which may attract capital to the Philippines. We want to get capital to go over there and help to develop the islands."

Asked what was the disposition of the capitalists he had seen, the secretary laughingly replied: "Well, I must say they are not biting quite as hard as we would like. Still, some of them have displayed interest."

He admitted that the purpose of the conference was to get information for use in framing laws regarding franchises which would give the Philippine commission further powers, looking to the proper development of the islands. "This information we have been getting to-day is to be used in drafting the bills that may be put before congress," he said.

Asked if the matter of liberality of concession would be considered in connection with the proposed legislation, he replied that this would have a great deal to do with it, but added that there was, of course, a disposition on the part of the administration to make as good terms as could be obtained. There was actually no desire to make the concessions too liberal. "It is our idea," said he, "to get capital to the Philippines without giving up everything."

"While to-day's conference was limited to the subject of railroads," said the secretary, "it is not the intention to limit development in the Philippines to these industries. It was first the intention to confer on steamship routes and lines, too, but it was decided not to do this to-day."

Mr. Taft will make a report to the committee next Saturday.

THE SMOOT INVESTIGATION.

An Interesting An Important Feature Was Brought Out.

Washington, March 11.—One of the most interesting and important features of the investigation of the Senator Reed Smoot case before the senate committee on privileges and elections was brought out Thursday in the testimony of E. B. Critchlow, formerly an assistant United States attorney in Utah, who told the story of the Moses Thatcher episode. According to his version, which was born out by official records, Apostle Thatcher persisted in continuing as a candidate for the United States senate against the wishes of a quorum of the apostles, and on that account was held to be "Not in harmony with his quorum." The history of the campaign he made against the wishes of his fellow Mormons, of his defeat and his subsequent trial before a committee of church officials was given in detail and then Thatcher's submission to the will of the church was read and put in the record of the Smoot investigation.

Lancaster, Ky., March 11.—Dr. J. A. Traylor, of Bryantsville, this county, dropped dead while visiting a patient. He was about 70 years of age and the oldest physician in the county. He was never married.

Frankfort, Ky., March 11.—Gov. Beckham has signed the bill known as the Louisville "ripper bill," giving the mayor of Louisville the authority to appoint and remove

IN THE CONGRESS.

Senate Passed a Number of Bills Relating to Alaska.

Washington, March 11.—Senate—The senate Thursday passed a number of bills relating to Alaska but failed to act on the measure authorizing the election of a delegate in congress from that territory. Mr. Platt (Ct.) opposed the bill, and because of his opposition and his desire for time for discussion, it was not pressed. The Alaskan bills passed included those for the improvement of roads, the maintenance of schools, the appointment of an additional judge and the extension of the coal laws to the territory. Several other bills were passed, including one increasing to \$100 the pensions of ex-soldiers who have become totally blind on account of service. The death of Representative Croft, of South Carolina, was announced, a committee appointed to attend the funeral and as a mark of respect the senate adjourned at 4.42.

House—The death of Representative Croft, of South Carolina, was announced. A committee was appointed to attend the funeral, and out of respect to his memory the house adjourned.

WIND AND SNOW STORM.

All Railway Traffic at Houghton, Mich., Is Tied Up.

Houghton, Mich., March 11.—A furious wind and snow storm has raged here for nearly 24 hours, tying up the steam and electric roads almost completely. Not a wheel has turned in or out of Houghton since 3 o'clock Thursday morning, when a freight train left eastbound with three engines. The freight was stalled about six miles from town, blocking the incoming passenger train.

The morning passenger train from Calumet, due at Houghton at 9 o'clock, has been in the snow banks at Swedetown, three miles out of Hancock, all day with two engines. The wind is blowing 34 miles per hour with a heavy fall of snow. Interurban street car service has been suspended.

Marquette, Mich., March 11.—A fierce blizzard was raging in Northern Michigan Thursday night, blocking nearly all trains. It is particularly severe in the copper country, where several trains are stalled. Marquette was Thursday night almost completely cut off from the outside world.

ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Worst Wind and Rain Storm in Thirteen Years Pevalied.

San Francisco, March 11.—The worst rain and wind storm in 13 years swept over this city and along the Pacific coast Thursday, doing much damage to shipping and railroads through the state. The storm extended from San Diego to Vancouver island and it is feared that many marine disasters have occurred along the coast. In this city Thursday morning the barometer reached 29.23, the lowest record, and the wind registered a velocity of 48 miles an hour, while at Sacramento a gale of 64 miles per hour was recorded. Telegraph and telephone wires were prostrated in every direction.

AT THE AGE OF NINETY.

Last But One Surviving Widow of Revolutionary War Soldier Dead.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 11.—A special from Bristol, Tenn., announces the death at Newbern, Va., of Mrs. Rebecca Mayo, aged 90, the last but one surviving widow of a revolutionary war soldier. Mrs. Mayo was married in 1833 to Capt. Stephen Mayo, who was then 76 years old. He died in 1847. Mrs. Esther S. Damon, of Plymouth Union, Vt., is now the sole surviving widow of a revolutionary war soldier.

Amount of Wheat in Farmers' Hands.

Washington, March 11.—The March report of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture shows the amount of wheat remaining in farmers' hands on March 1 to have been about 132,600,000 bushels, or 20.8 per cent. of last year's crop.

Senator Tillman's Condition.

Washington, March 11.—Senator Tillman's condition continues favorable Thursday night and he is resting easily. If the improvement continues as at present the family hope the senator may take his projected trip south in a few days.

A Blizzard in Wisconsin.

Superior, Wis., March 11.—Superior experienced another blizzard Thursday and the weather officials say that this point suffered more than any other where the storm struck. The wind is blowing at the rate of 50 miles an hour.

Nephew of Cyrus W. Field Suicides. Pueblo, Col., March 11.—B. D. Field, a nephew of Cyrus W. Field, who laid the Atlantic cable, committed suicide Thursday by drinking poison.

THE RACE TROUBLE

Turbulent Spirits Held in Check by the 18 Militia Companies in Springfield.

NO MORE TROOPS WILL BE NEEDED

Negro Who Was Urging the Blacks to Avenge the Lynching of Dixon Was Arrested.

Whole Families of Negroes Are Still Fleeing and Scores of Undesirable Characters Have Left the City For Good.

Springfield, O., March 11.—The race disturbances which have terrorized the town for the last three days as the result of the murder of Patrolman Collis and the subsequent lynching of the Negro Dixon, who shot Collis, is held well in check by the 18 companies of state militia and the authorities are of the opinion that no more troops will be needed to control the situation.

There are unmistakable signs that there is an ugly feeling on the part of the men and boys who have composed the mobs of the last three days and the authorities realize that at the least provocation trouble might break out again. The burning of a portion of the levee has only partially satisfied the mob, which was thwarted by the militia in its attempt to burn Flickers Nest, a row of buildings formerly occupied by about 50 families but now completely deserted.

Thursday evening the police arrested a Negro, claiming Cincinnati as his home and giving the name of Y. W. Smith. He was accompanied by several strange Negroes, and wherever they could gain an audience of one or more Negroes on the street, they read highly inflammatory typewritten papers urging the Negroes to avenge the lynching of Dixon and to apply the torch to the white business and residence districts in retaliation for the burning of the Negro quarters on the levee. The police, however, do not fear any trouble from native Negroes.

It is the opinion of City Solicitor Tatum neither the city nor county can be held responsible for the burning of the levee district by the mob. It is an admitted fact that while public sentiment is against the means employed to put the Negro out of the way, there is universal rejoicing that he is dead and it is realized that it will be extremely difficult to secure a jury that will assess more than nominal damages, if any at all. While a special grand jury will sit Monday to investigate the lynching, it is thought that it will be impossible to indict either the leaders of the mob which did the lynching or the subsequent burning.

An immense throng of people were in and about St. Raphael's church Thursday morning to attend the funeral services of Charles Collis, the murdered policeman. The entire police force and all the city officials were in attendance. The best order prevailed, and Father Buckley's sermon made no reference to the way in which Collis met his death.

This city is the headquarters of a widely known Negro organization called the "Anti-Mob and Lynch Law association," which has for its object the securing of laws to prevent lynching and in other ways to combat the summary punishment of colored men.

There was no indication at midnight that there would be any further race disturbances in this city growing out of the lynching Monday night. The streets were deserted compared with the last three nights, and there was no demonstration of any kind on the part of the whites or Negroes. Mayor Bowler has issued a proclamation ordering the saloons to remain closed until at least next Monday morning. There are still 18 companies of militia on duty and the authorities will come to some definite conclusion Friday morning with Gov. Herrick in regard to the withdrawal of the troops.

Whole families of Negroes are still fleeing and it is known that scores of undesirable characters who have come here in recent years have left the city for good.

"Rousters" to Be Made Up of Whites.

Memphis, Tenn., March 11.—It was announced Thursday morning on excellent authority that Memphis steamboatmen, including the Lee line, will follow the action of St. Louis packets in substituting white labor for colored rousters. The movement is expected to spread all along the Mississippi.

Trains Blocked by Snow.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 11.—Trains on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad from the north have been blocked by a heavy snow storm near Kalkaska and orders have been issued cancelling all freight traffic north.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

ROSSER & MCCARTHY,
Proprietors.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 1904

THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]
State of weather.....Partly cloudy
Highest temperature.....79
Lowest temperature.....37
Mean temperature.....53.5
Wind direction.....Southerly
Precipitation (inches) rain or snow......25
Previously reported for March.....1.16
Total for March, to date.....1.41
Mch 11th, 9:15 a. m.—Fair to night and Saturday.

Ohio and Indiana lynchings make the traducers of Kentucky wine and squirm.

They are having much sport at the Department of State over an inelastic provision of law which requires that department to compile and issue in a separate volume the statutes enacted at each session of Congress. The special session of last November enacted only one measure, a joint resolution providing for the payment of mileage to the members. This is bound up, however, in a dignified little volume by itself with as much elaboration as if it were a collection of budget bills and general legislation. That simply is a straw that shows what the Republican administration will do when it makes up its mind to get busy on any old subject. It calls an extra session of the Congress and has it in session for a month without a single result. Not one thing of benefit to the people and at a cost to them of over two hundred thousand dollars!

THE DIFFERENCE.

The Hon. John Sharpe Williams, floor leader of the Democrats in the House of Representatives, in an interview on the lynching and riot at Springfield, O., emphasizes some points that are worth repeating:

"If the Springfield, O., lynching had occurred in the South it would have been indubitable proof of at least some degree of lawlessness. Having happened in Ohio, I suppose it merely argues a short shrift to justice and subsequently to justice attained a little bit by playful arson. By the way, when the people of Mississippi or Texas take a short road to what they momentarily imagine to be justice, they never follow it up by punishing all darkies in sight and burning out the negro parts of the town. When the crime is avenged, whether lawfully or unlawfully, they are satisfied with the destruction of the alleged criminal, and good and innocent darkies are not punished, nor are their homes destroyed on this account.

"There is also this startling difference. When a thing of that sort happens in Ohio we people down South do not indict the whole State nor even the whole community, much less the entire white population; whereas, when a thing identical in character occurs anywhere down South, no matter how aggravated the crime, even though it be accompanied by murder, the people of Ohio have a habit of indicting the entire white population of the entire South for being benighted and barbarous. We know the people of Ohio are highly civilized, despite the appearance of this sort of thing now and then."

ANOTHER CRACK AT THE CONSTITUTION.

Another step in the exploitation of the Philippine Islands will soon be taken by the Republican administration. The administration, instead of proceeding along constitutional lines in the building of railroads in the insular possessions intends to let out the privilege to capital in this country and guarantee to that capital the interest on the investment. In other words, this country is opening places for the investment of capital and guaranteeing to the capital immunity from loss. They propose to authorize the Philippine government to execute a legislative guarantee of 4 per cent per annum on \$40,000,000 of bonds for railroad construction in those islands, and the bill will be introduced this week. The bill will bar out foreign capital so as to give the capitalists of Wall Street the monopoly of the game. This administration has been persistent in its efforts to get the good people of the country to believe that the Wall Street interests are dead against it, for political reasons and for political effect. Does this move look like it? The administration sells out to the Wall Street sharks and guarantees

them immunity from loss and a sure return on the capital invested and in return they will get a handsome campaign contribution. This is the way the thing looks to a man who is on the inside of things at the national capital.

It has never occurred to these exploiters that this legislation will clearly be unconstitutional. But what in the name of all that stands for graft does the Republican party care about the Constitution? When the Constitution stands in the way of anything a Republican wants to do, he simply steps on it and mashes it into the mire. Until the voters of the country realize that they have it in their power to stop this sort of thing it will continue. When will they see the drift and get busy?

BIBLE STUDY.

List of the Sunday Schools of Mason County, With the Name of the Superintendent.

M. C. Church, South, Germantown, T. M. Dora.
M. E. Church, South, Orangeburg, J. W. Bramel.
Christian, Orangeburg, L. M. Collis.
M. E. Church, Mt. Olivet, W. T. Pollitt.
Christian, Washington, Elmer Downing.
Presbyterian, Washington, Andrew Wood.
M. E. South, Washington, James Irving.
M. E. South, Dover, R. P. Pollitt.
Baptist, Dover, Geo. Fulton.
Christian, Dover, D. P. Wilson.
Christian, Minerva, B. B. Chandler.
M. E. South, Minerva, W. D. Snyder.
First M. E. South, Maysville, W. W. Ball.
Second M. E. South, Maysville, Lou Stickle.
Central Presbyterian, Maysville, J. Jas. Wood.
Christian, Maysville, J. T. Kackley.
The Nativity, Maysville, Rev. W. G. McCready.
Baptist, Maysville, E. Swift.
First Presbyterian, Maysville, A. M. J. Cochran.
M. E., Maysville, I. M. Lane.
Hebron, Fern Leaf, Jas. S. Asbury.
Union, Murphysville, J. C. Stephenson.
Baptist, Lewisburg, C. N. Bolinger.
Christian, Mill Creek, H. E. Hughes.
Christian, Beasley Creek, T. L. Holton.
Christian, Rectorville, ———.
Sedden Chapel, Maysville, Geo. N. Harding.
Christian, Sardis, H. P. W. Hill.
M. E., South, Sardis, John S. Woodward.
M. E., Sardis, Mrs. Wm. Thos. Grover.
Christian, Moransburg, Jos. Black.
Stewart's Chapel, M. E., ———.
——— Springdale, ———.
——— Plumville, ———.
——— Tangletown, ———.

The above is a partial list of the Sunday schools of Mason County with the address of the Superintendent. We want it complete and absolutely correct. Any one able to supply information to complete same please address E. Swift, Secretary, Maysville, Ky.

MRS. HANNAH HAYS.

Death Darkens the Home of Mr. Thomas Hays and Claims the Wife and Mother.

Mrs. Hannah Hays, wife of Mr. Thomas Hays, died last night at 8 o'clock at the home of the family on the Carmel pike near the fair grounds, of pneumonia. She had been ill only a few days.

Mrs. Hays was a daughter of the late Patrick Quinn and was thirty-seven years old. Her husband survives, with five children. She also leaves one brother and seven sisters.

The funeral will take place at St. Patrick's Church Saturday morning. Interment at Washington.

Do Not Hide From the Business World By Failing to Have Your Name in the New Telephone Directory.

The few subscribers we failed to reach are urgently requested to call up the exchange and give house number before the 15th of March. All persons contemplating joining the list of our subscribers are requested to give their orders immediately to insure getting their names on the book, as the list will be closed on the above date.

THE MAYSVILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Notice.

Now is the time to take stock in the thirtieth series Limestone Building Association.

The rain has interfered with plowing that had begun in the county.

Thomas, son of Mr. Charles Cook of Wedonia, is in town under the treatment of the Drs. Markham.

Just received two car-loads Northern seed oats. Price 50 cents. Good time to buy, before the advance.

WINTER & EVERETT.

FRESH

SEEDS

Waiting to Be Sown!

The new Spring line is here. We have always furnished the finest Seeds to be had and shall do the same this season. These Seeds were gathered from vigorous crops grown last year by the most reliable seedsmen. They are clean, full of vitality and guaranteed true to name. No need of sending away or of going elsewhere to buy. No need of taking chances or of paying more than we ask. You are sure to get the best possible results if you sow our seeds. You are also sure of saving, either on the cost of the seeds or by securing more abundant crops.

Our Excellent Assortment of
Both Flower and Garden
Seeds Now Ready
for Selection.

Thos. J. Chenoweth,
DRUGGIST,

Cor. Second and Sutton Sts., Maysville, Ky.

THE RACKET

We are the exclusive handlers of

Columbia High Grade White
and White Enameled
Ware,

Every piece guaranteed.
PAINT, mixed, ready for use, all colors, and in small quantities, 1/4 pint up to quart, 10c. and up. It brightens and don't cost much.
Window Shades, Curtain Poles, Carpet and Matting Tacks, and everything for house-cleaning time.

L. H. YOUNG & CO

BROWN'S OLD STAND,
40 W. Second St.

COAL

MAYSVILLE COAL CO.,

COOPER'S OLD STAND.
PHONE 142.

WALL PAPER

I will continue the cut price through March. If you intend to paper this Spring it will pay you to buy now.

W. H. RYDER, 121
Sutton St.

Headquarters for pure Paint.

STRAYED.

TAKEN UP AS A STRAY—About three months ago a light Jersey cow; tips of both horns broken off. Owner can get same by paying charges. WM. BRUN, Mayslick, Ky. 11-304

Eggs are selling at 16c. in the county.

To that old query, what's in a name, some one answers: All the consonants in the alphabet—if it is a Russian General's.

Rev. Father Jones has been very ill the past few days but his many friends will be pleased to know he rested well last night and was much improved this morning.

Mr. W. T. Bundick, Virginia's greatest temperance orator, who is now touring Kentucky, will lecture on "Personal Responsibility" at the M. E. Church in Dover, this evening.

The trains on the O. R. and C. now leave Ripley for Georgetown at 8:05 a. m. and 5:25 p. m. These are the only trains running at present as the track has not been fully ballasted and is not in the best condition.

FIVE THOUSAND PIECES OF UNDERWEAR IN THIS
ANNUAL SALE OF

Muslin Undergarments

To buy such a broad and splendid stock despite the present price of cotton is most remarkable. Only because our plans were started months ago is a movement of the present magnitude possible.

Our spacious suit department is a bower of white beauty for the auspicious occasion. This is our first Muslin Underwear Sale in the new store and we are making it a great event. We cannot attempt details of a stock of such proportions—we've only space for generalities.

Skirts 50c to \$7.50.
Chemises 35c to \$1.50.
Drawers 25c to \$1.75.
Nightgowns 75c to \$5.
Corsets Covers 12 1/2 to \$2.50.
Children's Drawers 10c.

FREE SATURDAY.

In addition to a stamp for every 10c cash purchase in our Muslin Underwear Department we will give \$1 worth of stamps to anyone buying a Muslin Undergarment to-morrow. To appreciate our prices examine the variety of our goods.

D. HUNT & SON.

TO-DAY,

More than ever before, the success of our boys' and children's department is dependent upon attractive and substantially made garments. There has been a decided improvement in the character of Children's Clothing. XTRA GOOD clothes for Boys is the kind we sell to sustain our prominence in every line. Spring designs now on display. Prices reasonable, for economical buyers.

GEO. H. FRANK & CO.

Come and List Your Property.....

If you want to sell any time within the next twelve months. Your farm or house can be described and brought to the attention of hundreds of buyers in this way.

Good Farms and Houses For Sale!

JOHN DULEY,

Real Estate, 215 Court Street, Maysville, Ky.

PHONE 333.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Maysville, Mason County, Ky., for the week ending Wednesday, March 9, 1904:

Bramblett, E. L.
Combs, Mrs. Dell
Daniel, P. S.
Dunlap, E. R.
Johnson, Mrs. Alice
Lafountain, Oliver
Huffman, Richard
Mans, Mrs. Fred P.

Persons calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

CLARENCE MATHEWS, P. M.

Miss Carrie Mearns is seriously ill.

FARM FOR RENT.

On Saturday, March 12th, at 2 p. m. at the court house door in Maysville, Ky., I shall rent to the highest bidder for the term of one year, the W. H. Case farm, situated in the Murphysville precinct. The rent to be paid one-half in six months and remaining one-half in twelve months with good security for payment of rent. 3 ddt eod C. BURGESS TAYLOR, M. C.

Just received two wagon loads of fancy clover seed and one car of fine oats. We sell them cheap as anybody.

M. C. RUSSELL Co.

Yes, We Have

A line of pretty Boots, bought to please ladies who care for appearance. Dressy indeed, and every feature strictly high grade. Of course there are others at varying prices, but we want you to see this especially nobby Spring line.

HAVE YOU

Guessed what the attendance will be at the St. Louis World's Fair July Fourth? Remember we offer a free trip for the closest estimate. The number of admissions to the Chicago Exposition on same date in 1893 were 283,273.

W. R. SMITH & CO.



DEAR CUSTOMER:

Three years ago we anchored here; since then we have given Maysville a dry goods store different from any that had ever existed here. We were trained for an up-to-date dry goods business. We do not claim that all our methods are original for we get ideas from some of the best dry goods stores in the country. We doubt if there is a store in the world the size of ours that stands in with as many large stores as do we. That's to your as well as our advantage. A big store buys a large lot of underwear at a very close price. says to us that we can have what we want of it at cost price. Another store buys a million pounds of writing paper, says to us you can have ten pounds, one hundred pounds or whatever you want at just what it costs us. That's "standing in," do you get the idea? Saturday the C. and O. freight office telephoned us that one hundred cases, carpets, etc., (about 20,000 pounds) have arrived. We will open them this week. Good things, that's sure. Come every day, for every day will be opening day. Our Mr. A. L. Merz telegraphed that an offer he had made on a large lot of goods had been accepted. Prepare for a big sale—when the goods come you will hear from us. And now before closing we want to say one word about Globe Stamps. Don't for one minute think we give them to you because we are GENEROUS—no, it's a cold business proposition—we give them to make cash trade. Most houses we buy goods from say you can have so much time, but we will give you a per cent. off for cash. That's what we say—stamps for cash. Some stores say they won't give stamps—they would have to mark their goods higher. We are wondering if they did. We don't. Sincerely yours, MERZ BROS. P. S.—Forgot to say that our Muslin Underwear Sale will continue one week.

Children's SHOES

Solid wearing Shoes for the Children. They are built for service and also have style, fit and finish.

J. HENRY PECOR.

MARRIED AT COVINGTON.

Miss Margaret A. Moore and Mr. J. P. Lauer Wedded Last Wednesday.

[Commercial Tribune.]

After having secured a competence John A. Lauer, who formerly lived at Maysville, Ky., returned to his old home to claim his bride. Mr. Lauer now lives at Kouts, Ind., and his bride was Miss Margaret A. Moore, a prominent young woman of the metropolis of Mason County.

Mr. Lauer left his business for a day or two and journeyed to Maysville to claim his bride. They obtained a marriage license from C. L. Wood, County Clerk of Mason County, but decided to have the marriage performed in Covington. They were married Wednesday afternoon in the office of Magistrate Dunn by the Rev. Irvin Watkins.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Henry Terrell of Paris is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rion, Jr.

—Miss Anna McDougle is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Cushman, of Flemingsburg.

—Mr. J. F. Barbour was registered at the St. Nicholas, Cincinnati, Wednesday.

—Miss Louie Bruer, of Paris, returned home Thursday after a visit to Mrs. John Duley.

—Mrs. E. C. Slack and Miss Downing were guests at the Burnet House, Cincinnati, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Jack of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. David L. Hunter, in the county.

—The Misses Allison entertain this evening at "Sunnyside" in honor of Miss Carrie Tarlton of Scott County.

—Miss Tillie Roberts, of Georgetown, Ky., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Roberts, of Sutton street.

—Mrs. E. H. Kenner, of Flemingsburg, returned home Thursday after spending several days here with relatives.

—Mr. A. D. Gayle and son, June Gayle, Jr., after spending four weeks with her mother, Mrs. Alwilda Wheeler, have gone to their new home in Richmond, Ind.

—Mr. G. A. Lynn of Gallatin, Mo., who has been visiting Mr. R. P. Tolle of Orangeburg, returned home Thursday, accompanied by his cousin, Miss J. Alene Tolle.

Mr. Harvey Grimes is ill with rheumatism at his home on Wood street.

Slop for sale at Poyntz's distillery.

Pan "kake" flour and syrup—Calhoun's.

Painless extraction of teeth at Dr. Cartmell's.

Special reductions in wall paper at Hainline's.

New Valley Gem upright piano \$175 at Gerbrich's.

Mr. Dan Sullivan of Hill Top is a sufferer from the grip.

A Bourbon County Magistrate drew \$858.17 for services last year.

Mr. W. A. Schatzmann is able to be out after an illness from the grip.

John Duley has qualified as administrator of the late Mrs. Martin McDonough.

Don't overlook the fact that low prices are thinning out the Barkley shoe stock.

Mr. D. Sam White has sold his farm at Heselon, Lewis County, to J. E. Hackworth.

Mr. Hiram M. Taylor has gone to Paris to spend a few weeks in the insurance business.

Mrs. Mary A. Roberson, mother of Sheriff Roberson, is reported seriously ill at Mayslick.

The Choral Society will meet this evening at 7 o'clock in the chapel at the Christian Church.

Mr. Welburn Rees had seven turkeys of a fine variety stolen from his home near Dexter one night this week.

The school at South Ripley has closed after a most successful term taught by Miss Della Goodwin, of Rectorville.

The assignee's sale of the Barkley Shoe Company's stock continues. Better take advantage of the bargains still to be had.

Constable Rosser has returned from a trip to Charleston, W. Va., in search of Jerry Hunt, who is wanted at Flemingsburg for murder.

J. C. Owens, of Washington, has sold and delivered to Mr. Stiles, agent for the Continental Company, 47,000 pounds of tobacco at 10c from the ground up.

The party who took the package of shoes marked "S. P. Owens," from Dickson & Myall's stable Monday, will confer a favor by returning same immediately.

THE NEW CENTRAL.

Handsome Improvements Made to Maysville's Popular Hotel.

Messrs. Fitzgerald, Daugherty and Sammons have just completed some handsome alterations and improvements to Maysville's popular hotel,—the New Central.

As stated some weeks ago the hotel company has leased the three story brick building adjoining on the south and an arched doorway connecting the two buildings has since been put in. The saloon formerly in the rear of the hotel office has been removed to the first floor of the leased building, where the patrons of the bar will find the most elegantly furnished sample rooms in the city. The clerk's desk and office has been moved back, occupying the space formerly occupied by the saloon. This enlarges the hotel lobby and gives the office not only abundance of room but plenty light and every convenience. The second and third floors of the leased building have been fitted up as sleeping apartments, giving the hotel eight additional bed rooms.

The decorations throughout, including the dining room, are beautiful, a handsome design with pretty floral trimmings being used.

The improvements add greatly to the equipment and convenience of the hotel and will enable the company to better accommodate the large patronage the New Central enjoys.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed Tom Mann's sentence to the penitentiary.

Thomas M. Rumman, a relative of ex-Senator J. D. Rumman, died at Tolleboro and will be buried to-day at Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

A special train of seven cars with the French Opera Company on board will pass through Saturday over the Chesapeake and Ohio en route to New York.

Ann Craig Perrel died at her home in Washington yesterday, aged about sixty-five years. In slave times she belonged to the family of the late Mr. Andrew Wood, Jr.

Hon. William H. Cox, Senator from this district, has the thanks of the BULLETIN for a bound copy of Gov. Beckham's inaugural address and message to the General Assembly.

The remains of the late Thomas F. Breen of Cincinnati were interred Thursday at Washington. He was forty-six years old. His wife, who survives, was formerly Miss Fannie Haage.

Service at the First Presbyterian Church by the pastor, Rev. John Barbour, D. D., Sabbath morning and evening. Rev. S. B. Alderson will commence a protracted meeting Monday evening at 7 o'clock. The public cordially invited.

The Treasury Department has not yet acted on the petition asking for the appointment of Captain David A. Murphy as Superintendent of the work on Maysville's public building. It is expected that work will be commenced this spring.

D. Hechinger & Co.

We do not have to say it ourselves. Others say it for us that there are few stores in the largest of cities that excel us in the line of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods that we carry.

For this coming season our ambition to cater from the medium to the very choicest of trade has induced us to put in lines of Shirts, Neckwear, Halfhose and Hats of higher quality than we have ever had in stock. WE WANT YOU TO SEE THEM.



CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

To the mothers who are just a little more than particular about their children's outfit we want to say that as soon as the weather gets right for the little fellows spring suits to come and see the new line of ultra fashionable Children's Suits that we have brought on for this spring's trade, and prices fully 20 per cent. less than what you would pay for them away from home.

We respectfully solicit an examination of these goods.

D. Hechinger & Co.

THE HOME STORE.

1904 PRIZE PATTERNS IN

WALL PAPER

Robert Graves & Co. New York ideas in artistic decoration sold by

Victor Applique Frieze, forty inch drop, most beautiful Frieze.

Mosque Crown Hanging with Crown top and bottom.

Kohinoor Crown top and bottom. See in our show windows.

Sold to decorate the Elks Hall.

Remnants for early buyers. Prices from 3c to 8½c per roll.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Our Photographs for \$3 per doz. are large and good—KACKLEY & CO.

WHY DELAY

The erection of that monument? Have you not given the matter more than sufficient consideration? Come and see us about it at once. All work done with pneumatic machinery. THE GARNETT MARBLE CO., 111 Sutton street.

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All styles, "best on earth," lowest prices, at

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The New York Store

FOR BARGAINS!

Our business shows a steady increase. We make new customers and keep the old ones. The people are awake to the fact that their dollar has a greater purchasing power at our store than anywhere else. We buy goods cheaper or as cheap as any merchant, and are satisfied with a small profit. New arrivals the last few days:

Ladies' Shirt Waist Sets,

newest New York ideas, prices 10c. on up to 35c; others ask twice as much. New Laces, new White Goods, new Madras, new Hats, in fact plenty of new goods. Come and look.

HAYS & CO.

SPECIAL—One thousand yds. India Linen 5c, good quality; 1,000 yds fine Ind Linen 8½c; very wide Thread Lace 5c. a yard; figured White Goods for baby dresses 6c; Dotted Swiss for Corset Covers 10c a yard; fine Madras only 12½c, worth 20c; Felt Window Shades 9c; Linen Shades 23c.

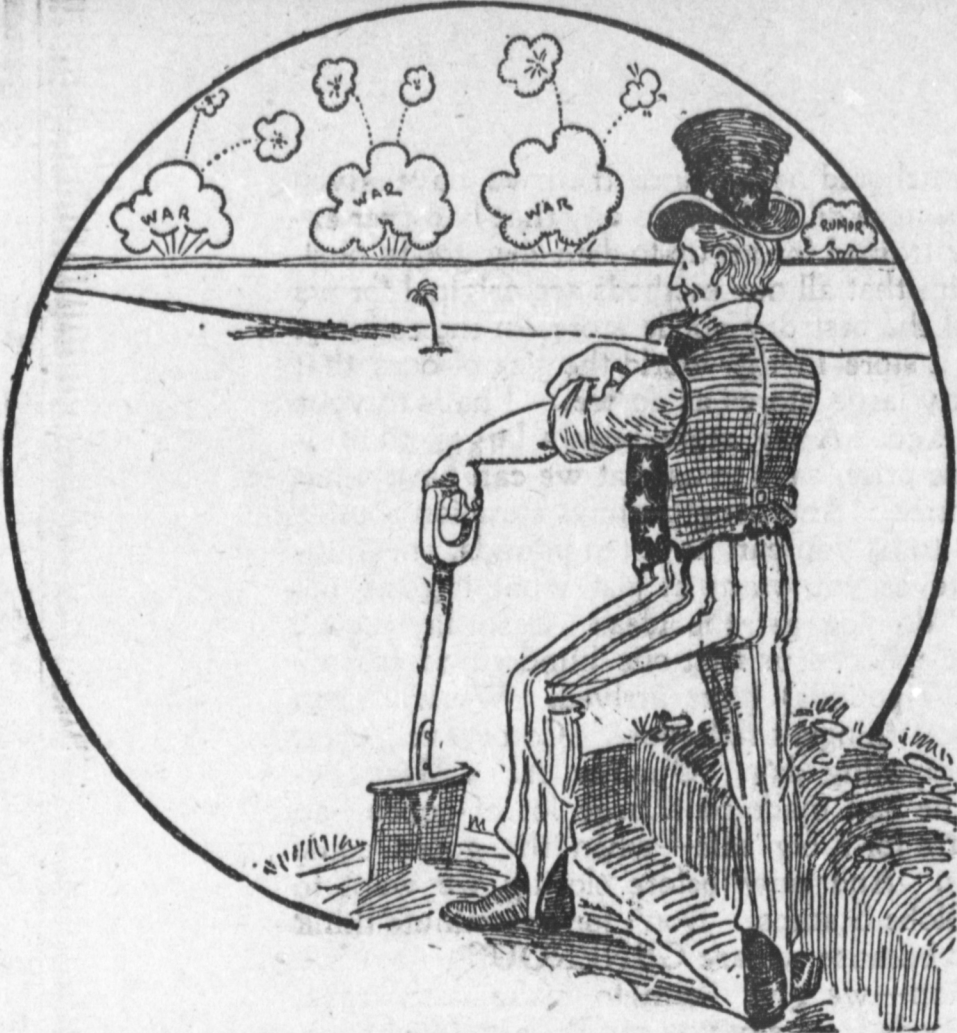
UNCLE SAM

Will keep out of trouble by minding his own business and turning over the sod that will grow big crops to feed the warring nations when peace comes. The American farmer is in the trenches preparing for a vigorous agricultural campaign. Anticipating lively Spring maneuvers we have thrown up magnificent breastworks of

Farm and Garden Tools,

such as Plows, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, Mattocks, Spades, and announce ready for the business onslaught. Ports still open for the removal of Field Fence, Poultry Netting, Trace Chains, Hames and Collar Pads. Bring us your trade and "sympathy." We pose as the under dog in this fight

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMP'Y.



A Sympathetic Friend is a
High-Grade

PIANO

Your lightest touch calls forth a response in perfect accord with your own feelings. The creator of a high-grade piano separates with part of his life when the finished instrument leaves his hands. Your lightest touch resurrects the life in that instrument, and it becomes an animated, responsive friend, sympathizing with your every mood, laughing when you laugh and weeping when you weep.

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Ask you to visit their exhibit at JOHN I. WINTER & CO.'S store, Maysville, Ky., and examine their pianos. OUR MOTTO, direct from factory to customer. OUR PRIDE, our history since 1843.

**SOME WOMAN FROM THIS
COUNTY WILL GO
TO THE**

WORLD'S FAIR,

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ON A

FREE TRIP

At the expense of the CINCINNATI COMMERCIAL TRIBUNE. This well known and great newspaper will send 150 women on a special train for a two-weeks' tour, and readers of the Daily and Sunday Cincinnati Commercial Tribune and Cincinnati Weekly Gazette in this county will select a guest to represent us.

ANY WOMAN CAN GO.

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The World's Fair Tour Editor,

Care Commercial Tribune,

Cincinnati, O.

AN ORDINANCE

**Authorizing the Issue of Thirty Bonds
of the Denomination of
\$500 Each.**

Be it ordained by the Board of Councilmen of the City of Maysville, That the Mayor of the City of Maysville be and is hereby authorized to have prepared thirty bonds of the denomination of five hundred dollars (\$500) each numbered 312 and 342 inclusive, payable on or before the first day of March, 1905; payable to J. Wesley Lee, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee or bearer, negotiable and payable at the First National Bank of Maysville, Ky., to be signed by the Mayor and sealed with the seal of the city and attested by the City Clerk.

Be it further ordained, That the said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from date of issue until paid. Said printed bonds shall be in the custody of the Mayor and from time to time as may be necessary the City Council will order the issue and sale of said bonds, which shall bear date of said order, to be sold at not less than par by the Ways and Means Committee, and proceeds placed in the hands of the City Treasurer to pay the orders which may be made upon him.

The revenues of the city for the current fiscal year are hereby pledged for the payment of the bonds which shall be issued under this ordinance.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication. Adopted by Council March 7th, 1904.

Attest: W. E. STALKUP, Mayor.

J. L. Daulton, City Clerk.

Cancer

IS CURABLE

We cure cancer without the knife. Very little pain. Have cured over twenty cases in Mason County during the last ten years. We send a free book upon request which tells all about method of treatment. Will refer you to Mr. Geo. S. Rosser of this paper, Seldon W. Bramel, Wenden, Ky., Mrs. Joel T. Luman, Mt. Carmel, Ky., Wm. Bramel, North Fork, Ky., and a dozen others in your own county if you wish them. Write for free book at once.

DRS. GRATIGNY & BUSH,
Oddfellows Temple, Cincinnati, O.

REMOVED,

**R.C. POLLITT,
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All Work Guaranteed. No 304 West Second street, Maysville, Ky.

DR. LANDMAN

Central Hotel,

Thursday, April 7th, 1904.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The two story brick residence on Third formerly occupied by Dr. Browning, and the two story brick residence on East Second street formerly occupied by the late Wesley Viceroy. Apply to MRS. MARY C. WILSON, 19 E. Third St.

PENNSYLVANIA MINERS.

The Officials Urge the Acceptance of the Operators' Ultimatum.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 11.—Patrick Oplan, president; Uriah Beilingham, vice president, and William Dodds, secretary-treasurer, officials of the United Mine Workers of Pittsburg district, joined Thursday in signing and sending to all the miners in the district a circular letter endorsing the recommendation of the national officials and urging the men to vote for the acceptance of the operators' ultimatum. They say they would rather give other advice if they could see any chance of the miners getting last year's scale by a strike, but "strike means defeat and demoralization."

GOV. CUMMINS' MESSAGE.

He Calls Attention to a Defect in the Iowa Laws.

Des Moines, Ia., March 11.—Gov. Cummins Thursday sent to the legislature a message in which he called attention to the fact that under the present laws of Iowa it is impossible to extradite from this state into another a person charged with murder by sending poisoned candy through the mails as in the case of Mrs. Sherman Dye, of Boone, who has been released.

He urged the legislature to remedy the omission and make it possible for the governor to honor a requisition from another state for a person who is not a fugitive from justice.

STEAMER BURNED.

The Sunshine Destroyed and One Deck Hand Is Missing.

Cairo, Ill., March 11.—The steamer Sunshine burned to the water's edge at Burrus landing, which is about 100 miles below Cairo, and near Tiptonville, at 8 o'clock Thursday morning. The entire passenger list and the crew with the exception of one colored deck hand are safe and are now at Tiptonville.

The missing deck hand is supposed to have been drowned.

The fire originated in the engine room and the flames spread rapidly. The boat had a big freight trip.

Russian Torpedo Boat Lost.

Canea, Crete, March 11.—A Russian transport from Port Said has arrived here. Members of her crew say that the Russian torpedo boat No. 221 was lost while on her way to this port. The crew of the torpedo boat was rescued by the transport.

Missing Man Located.

Elgin, Ill., March 11.—Robert Wes-

ton, a well-known traveling man who mysteriously disappeared last summer and was supposed to have been murdered in Chicago, has been located in a hospital at Natchez, Miss. His wife and child live here.

Representative Croft Dies.

Washington, March 11.—As the result of blood poisoning, caused by a splinter in his hand, George William Croft, representative in congress from the Second district of South Carolina, died at his boarding place Thursday morning.

Charged With Smuggling.

San Antonio, Tex., March 11.—The customs authorities at Eagle Pass have arrested Joe Liebes, a wealthy New Yorker, on the charge of smuggling and have confiscated \$1,500 worth of diamonds and other dutiable articles.

THE MARKETS.

Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, March 10.—Flour—Winter patent, \$5.10@5.30; fancy, \$4.75@4.90; family, \$4.10@4.35; extra, \$3.45@3.75; low grade, \$3@3.30; spring patent, \$5.30@5.65; fancy, \$4.60@4.90; family, \$4.20@4.50; Northwestern rye, \$3.80@4. Wheat—No. 2 red quotable at \$1@1.01 on track. Corn—No. 3 mixed quotable at 46c on track. Oats—Sales: No. 3 white, track, 46¢@47¢; No. 2 mixed, track, 43¢@44¢.

Chicago, March 10.—Wheat—May, 92¢@93¢; July new, 88¢@88½¢; old, 89¢@90½¢. Corn—May, 51½¢@51¾¢; July, 49½¢@49¾¢. Oats—May, 40½¢@40¾¢; July, 38¢@38½¢.

Live Stock.

Cincinnati, March 10.—Cattle—Heavy steers, choice to extra, \$4.75@5; fair to good, \$4.10@4.65; butcher steers, \$4.70@4.75; good to choice, \$4@4.60; heifers, extra, \$4.25; good to choice, \$3.65@4.15; cows, extra, \$3.85@4; good to choice, \$3@3.75. Calves—Fair to good light, \$5.50@6.25; extra, \$6.50@6.75. Hogs—Good to choice packers and butchers, \$5.85@5.90.

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At all good Druggists.

For Sale by Thomas J. Chenoweth, Druggist.

**FEED IS SCARCE---CORN IS HIGH,
HAY IS HIGH!**

We Have Too Much Stock

And have decided to sell rather than carry over till grass comes,
so here is the greatest cut ever made:

Men's Low Cut Rubbers,	7c
Women's and Misses Shoes in Baskets, worth \$1 to \$1.50, all go at	48c
Men's Fine Shoes, worth \$1.50, go at	98c
Men's Lace Boots, worth \$4 and \$5, go at	\$1.98

COME TO DAN COHEN'S AND GET THEM NOW.

W. H. MEANS, Manager.